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1. CERMAN BOMBING OF LONDON

- 2. INFORMATION FROM THE PRINCIPS
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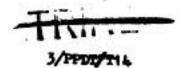
To DIRECTOR.

- stepping up the besting of LOHDON, whilst the gumfire has fallen off slightly. The SOUTH HAMPFRED railway junction has been damaged [and][a] traffic [1 group unidentified]. Admiral NVARS [ii], who is in charge of the shelters in LOHDON, stated to the MASTER [ENGINENT][iii] of the METRO [iv] that a case-ten bomb dropped there had made a crater 21 metres deep. A 250-kg bomb dropped last might in the HATTON GARDEN area destroyed a chemical works and badly damaged our trade delegation [building][a]. Information on a map emptured from the SAUSAGE-DEALERS reveals that LOHDON is divided up into small squares and each has a numbered target in a definite [Of category]. The SAUSAGE-DEALERS are over LOHDON throughout the might, one aiptraft at a time on each flight path.
- 2. Asserding to the FRIENDS' [DEUL'Ya][v] information the SHORT aircraft factory in ROCHESTER has been completely destroyed and 5,000 workers are being transferred to SWINDOW, where new production of [1 group garbled] and transport aircraft will be developed on the basis of the PHILLIPS aircraft factory where trainer aircraft were produced previously.
- INTELLIGIOUSIA [INTELLIGIOTATE][vi] confirms that the British really do render delayed-action bombs safe by freezing [b] the bombs' exploder mechanism.

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- Notes: [a] Inserted by translator.
 - [b] The Russian term may be taken literally or metaphorically.
- Comments: [1] SAUSAGE-BEALERS: the Germans.
 - [ii] EVANS: Admiral Sir Edward R.C.R. EVANS, appointed
 LONDON Regional Commissioner for Civil Defence in 1939.
 - ✓ [iii] MASTER: The Ambassador.
 - [iv] METRO: The Soviet Embassy.
 - ✓ [v] FRIENDS: members of the Communist Party.
 - [vi] INTELLIGENTSIA: See also LOMDON's Nes. 812 of 25th July 1940, 895 of 16th August 1940, 987 of 6th September 1940, 1099 of 2nd October 1940 and 1165 of 15th October 1940.
 - [vii] BRICH: Col. I.A. SKLTAROV, Soviet Military and Air Attaché in LONDON 1940-1946. This is the earliest cocurrence of the covername BRICH as a signature (or address) in a LONDON message.